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FM AMEMBASSY GUATEMALA

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: ETRD, GT

SUBJECT: SHIPPING: DELTA-FLOMERCA PROBLEM

REF: GUATEMALA 4938 AND PREVIOUS

1. EMBOFF CALLED SEPT. 24 ON JORGE MARIO RUBIO, LEGAL AFFAIRS ADVISOR OF MINISTRY FOREIGN RELATIONS, WHO HAD BEEN DESIGNATED BY FONMIN MOLINA AT REQUEST AMBASSADOR AS POINT OF CONTACT IN DELTA-FLOMERCA CASE. AS ANTICIPATED, RUBIO HAD ONLY SKETCHIEST IDEA OF NATURE AND BACKGROUND OF PROBLEM. WITH THIS POSSIBILITY IN MIND, EMBOFF HAD PREPARED SUMMARY OF CASE AND OF USG POLICY AND LEFT IT WITH RUBIO. HE ALSO ORALLY REPEATED PRESENTATION AMBASSADOR HAD MADE TO FONMIN.

2. RUBIO PROMISED TO BRIEF HIMSELF ON CASE AND DETERMINE WHERE MATTER STOOD CURRENTLY WITHIN GOG. WITH THIS BACKGROUND IN HAND, HE WILL CALL EMBOFF TO DISCUSS NEXT STEP.

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